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SUBJECT:DC/LDC GUIDELINES

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1. WE HAVE BEEN ABLE TO OBTAIN SOME INFORMATION ON THE
DEFINITION USED BY MAJOR DONOR ENTITIES OF DEVELOPING
COUNTRIES. MORE DETAILED DATA SHOULD BE DIRECTLY
AVAILABLE TO THE GOS FROM THE VARIOUS INSTITUTIONS
CONCERNED.

2. ACCORDING TO MATERIALS AVAILABLE IN THE DEPARTMENT, THE
FOLLOWING GUIDELINES ARE USED: ANNUAL PER CAPITA INCOME
UNDER \$520 (1975 DOLLARS) FOR THE IMF TRUST FUND; UNDER
\$200 TO QUALIFY FULLY FOR ADF CONCESSIONAL LOANS (ADF ALSO
HAS A "MARGINALLY" ELIGIBLE CATEGORY FROM \$200 TO \$300);
UNDER \$550 (1976 DOLLARS) TO QUALIFY FOR IDA CONCESSIONAL
LOANS.

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3. THESE AND OTHER GUIDELINES ARE OFTEN QUITE FLEXIBLE,
HOWEVER, AND ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. FOR EXAMPLE, IN THE
CASE OF CRITERIA FOR IBRD LOANS, RECIPIENT NATIONS BEGIN TO
BE PHASED OUT AS PER CAPITA INCOME APPROACHES \$2000 (1975
DOLLARS). THE DECISION TO REDUCE OR PHASE OUT IBRD

LENDING IS BASED ON DETAILED SCRUTINY OF THE SPECIFIC
CIRCUMSTANCES AFFECTING INDIVIDUAL COUNTRIES. IN ADDITION,
BASED ON PAST EXPERIENCE, PHASING OUT USUALLY TAKES PLACE
OVER A FIVE YEAR PERIOD. VANCE

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